

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

SIERRA CLUB,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 1:10-CV-01541-CKK

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION AGENCY and
E. SCOTT PRUITT,¹ Administrator,
United States Environmental Protection
Agency,

Defendants.

EPA’S MOTION TO EXTEND PARTIAL CONSENT DECREE DEADLINE

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 60(b)(5) and Local Rule 7, and as explained in the accompanying Memorandum in Support, EPA hereby moves for an extension of its Partial Consent Decree deadline to sign for publication a notice promulgating a federal implementation plan or unconditionally approving a state implementation plan for Texas that satisfies the requirement in Clean Air Act (“CAA”) section 110(a)(2)(D)(i)(II) that implementation plans contain adequate provisions prohibiting emissions that will interfere with measures in other state implementation plans related to the protection of visibility for the 1997 ozone and PM_{2.5} national ambient air quality standards. Specifically, EPA respectfully requests that its deadline be extended from September 9, 2017, to December 31, 2018.

¹ E. Scott Pruitt is substituted pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d).

Respectfully submitted,

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